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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PDIP US YS
SUBJ: U.S. INITIATIVE TO IMPROVE RELATIONS WITH SOUTH YEMEN

REF: STATE 144046

1. MET WITH DEPUTY FONMIN KHANI JUNE 23 TO CONVEY MESSAGE
REFTEL. HE EXPRESSED APPRECIATION THAT USG KEEPING SARG
INFORMED OF SUCH EFFORTS, THEN ASKED ABOUT STATE OF
OUR RELATIONS WITH LIBYA. WHEN I TOLD HIM WE WERE LOOKING
FOR A CHANGE IN LIBYA'S POSITION SUPPORTING INTERNATIONAL
TERRORISM, HE REMARKED THAT DEPARTURE OF TERRORIST CARLOS
FROM TRIPOLI TO ITALY YESTERDAY MIGHT HAVE BEEN INTENDED AS
SIGNAL TO USG. REPLIED I HAD NOT HEARD THIS NEWS BUT WHAT
WE HAD IN MIND WERE MORE BASIC STEPS SUCH AS CLOSING DOWN
TERRORIST TRAINING BASES AND WITHDRAWAL OF FINANCIAL
SUPPORT FROM KNOWN TERRORIST GROUPS.

2. SUGGEST DEPARTMENT PASS TRIPOLI.

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